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The revolution was over. Eight years' conflict had ceased, and the warriors were now to separate for ever, turning their weapons into plough-shares, and their camps into workshops. The spectacle, though a sublime and glorious one. Acrs yet attended with sorrowful feelings; for, alas! in the remains of that galldnt army of patriotic soldiers, now about to disband without pay, without support, stalked poverty and disease. The country had not the means to be grateful.

and disease. to be grateful. officers and soldiers of that period, according to history and oral tradition, were melancholy in the extreme. Possessing no means of patri-monial inheritance to fall back upon—thrown out of even the perilous support of the soldier at the commencement of winter, and hardly fit for any other duty than that of the camp— their situation can better be imagined than de-

A single instance, as a sample of the situation of many of the officers, as related of the conduct of Baron Steuben, may not be amiss. When the main body of the army was disbanded at Newburgh, and the veteran soldiers were bid-ding a parting farewell to each other, Lt. Col. Cochran, an aged soldier of the New Hampshire line, remarked with tears in his eyes as he shook hands with the baron: "For myself I could stand it; but my wife

and daughters are in the garret of that wretched tavern, and I have no means of removing

"Come, come," said the baron, "don't give way thus, I will pay my respects to Mrs. Cochran and her daughters."

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when the good old soldier left them, their countenances were warm with gratitude—for he left there all he had.

In one of the Rhode Island regiments were several companies of black troops, who had served through the whole war, and their bravery and discipline were unsurpassed. The baron observed one of these poor negroes on the wharf at Newburgh, apparently in great dis-

What is the matter, brother soldier?" "Why, Master Baron, I want a dollar to get home with, now the Congress has no further

The Baron was absent for a few moments and then returned with a silver dollar, which he had borrowed.

"There, it's all I could get. Take it."

The negro received it with joy, hailed a sloop which was passing down the river to New York, and as he reached the deck, took off his het and said.

"God bless you, Master Baron!"

These are only single illustrations of the army at the close of the war. Indeed, Washington had this view at the close of his farewell address to the army at Rocky Hill, in Novem-"And being now about to conclude these his last public orders, to take his ultimate leave in a short time of the military character, and to bid a final adieu to the armies he has so long

had the honor to command, he can only again offer, in their behalf, his recommendations to their country, and his prayer to the God of

"May ample justice be done them here, and may the choicest of heaven's favors, both here and hereafter, attend those who, under divine auspices, have secured innumerable blessings

"With these wishes and this benediction the commander-in-chief is about to retire from service. The curtain of separation will soon be drawn, and the military scenes to him will be

The closing of the "military scenes" I am

nbout to relate.

New York had been occupied by Washington on the 25th of November. A few days afterwards he notified the president of Congress. which body was then in session at Annapolis in Maryland, that as the war was now closed he should consider it his duty to proceed thence, and surrender to that body the com-mission which he had received from them seven

The morning of the 5th of December, 1783, was a sad and have one to the remnant of the American army in the city of New York. The noon of that day was to witness the farewell of Washington—he was to bid adieu to his military comrades for ever. The officers who had been with him in solemn council, the privates who had fought and bled in the "beavy fight," under his orders, were to hear his commands no longer. The manly form and dignified countenance of the "great captain" was henceforth to

live in their memories.

As the hour of noon approached, the whole garrison, at the request of Washington himself, garrison, at the request of Washington himself, was put in motion, and marched down Broad street to Francis's tavern, his headquarters. He wished to take leave of private soldiers, alike with officers, and bid them all adieu. His favorite light infantry were drawn up in line facing inwards, through Pearl street, at the foot of Whitehall, where a barge was in readiness to convey him to Powell's hook.

Within the dining room of the tavern were gathered the generals and field officers, to take their farewell.

Assembled there were Knox, Greene, Clinton, Steuben, Gates, and others, who had served with him faithfully and truly in the "tented field;" but alas! where were others that had entered the war with him seven years before? Their bones crumbled in the soil from Canada to Georgia. Montgomery had yielded up his life at Quebec, Wooster fell at Danbury, Woodhull was barbarously murdered while a prisoner at the battle on Long Island, and Mercer fell mortally wounded at Princeton; the brave and chivalric Laurens, after displaying the most he-roic courage in the trenches of Yorktown, died in a trifling skirmish in South Carolina; the brave but eccentric Lee was no longer living, and Putnam, like a helpless child, was stretched upon the bed of sickness. Indeed, the battlefield and time had thinned the ranks which entered tered with him on the conflict of indepen-

Washington entered the room-the hour of separation had come. As he raised his eye and glanced on the faces of those assembled, a tear coursed down his check, and his voice was tremnlous as he saluted them. Nor was he alone. Men, "albeit unused to the melting mood," stood around him, whose hands uplifted to cover their brows, told that the tears, which they in vain attempted to conceal, bespoke the anguish they could not hide.

After a moment's conversation, Washington called for a glass of wine. It was brought to him. Turning to the officers, he thus addressed

them:
"With a heart full of love and gratitude, I now take my final leave of you, and I most devoutly wish your latter days may be as prosper-

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obliged to you if each of you will take me by the hand." General Knox, who stood nearest, burst into General Knox, who stood nearest, burst into tears, and advanced, incapable of utterance. Washingtou grasped him by the hand, and embraced him. The officers came up successively, and took an affectionate leave. No words were spoken, but all was the "silent elegance of tears." What were mere words at such a scene? Nothing. It was the feeling of the heart—thrilling though unspoken.

When the last officer had embraced him, Washington left the recomfollowed by his com-

When the last officer had embraced him, Washington left the room, followed by his comrades, and passed through the line of light infantry. His step was slow and measured, his head uncovered, and tears flowing thick and fast, as he looked from side to side at the veterans to whom he now bade adieu forever. Shortly an event occurred more touching than all the rest. A gigantic soldier who had stood by his side at Trenton, stepped forth from the ranks, and extended his hand:

"Farewell, my beloved general, farewell."

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Washington grasped his hand, in convulsive emotion in both of his. All discipline was now at an end. The officers could not restrain the men as they rushed forward to take Washington by the hand, and the violent sobs and tears of the soldiers told how deeply engraved upon their affections was the love of their commander.

mander.

At length Washington reached the barge at Whitehall, and entered it. At the first stroke Whitehall, and entered it. At the first stroke of the oars he rose, and turning to the companions of his glory, by waving his hat, bade them a silent adieu. Their answer was only in tears; and the officers and men, with glistening eyes, watched the receding boat till the form of their noble commander was lost sight of in the distance.—N. Y. Jour. of Com.

#### Consequential.

A Yankee was traveling last summer in the railway train from Liverpool to London. Two Englishmen occupied seats in his immediate vicinity. One by his side, the other visavis of of the latter, and both between him and the window, which was down, the day being remarkably fine.

They were evidently Brumagem (Birmingham) bagmen, as commercial travelers in England are called; and were as unsocial as bears, and as uncommunicative as blank mill-stones. Our Yankee friend, after several fruitless efforts to "bring them out," drew a large oblong chunck of Leftwich's best Virginia tobacco from his pocket, and cutting off with a formidable Arkansas tooth-pick a liberal slice of it, he, with La India, kansas tooth-pick a liberal slice of it, he, with an air of rough cordiality, presented it first to the one and then to the other. The only reply he got from either was a gruff gutteral "No," and a scowl of displeasure, which gave not our Yankee friend the least concern; for he stowed away the rejected quid in his own sinister jaw and commenced to masticulate it as one who could appreciate its quality.

Finding his mouth fast filling with saliva, and

desiring to spit out of the carriage without any violent exercise of the hydraulic glands of his lips, he politely asked his two fellow-travelers, in succession, if they would exchange places with him and permit him to take a seat next the window. Another gruff negative shake of

the head was the only reply.

Nothing disconcerted, the Yankee, gathering the volume of liquid in his mouth, and stretch ing his neck, let fly the saliva over the hat of one of them and out of the window!

His torpid neighbor now, for the first time, showed signs of animation; for he jumped in his seat as if he were operated on by a galvanic battery, and taking off his hat hurriedly, and looking over his clothes as well as he could in the same manner, to see if either were discolored or befouled, he again thrust on his hat and gave a most reproachful look at his down-east com a most reproachtal look at his down-east com-pagnon du voyage, which very plainly "damned his eyes" mentally, though not audibly. He might as well not, however, for the Yankee paid not the slightest attention to him, but kept his eyes on Murray's Guide Book, with the

open blade of his Arkansas tooth-pick under the line which engaged his immediate study. After some time another discharge flew from his well-compressed lips over the head of the Englishman, who sat in an oblique direction

from him ! Flesh and blood-English flesh and bloodcould stand it no longer, and both exclaimed "Why! what in 'ell do you mean, sir? whe "Why! what in ell do you mean, sir? whether do you contemplate drowning us or poisoning us with your blasted tobacco juice. So 'elp us God, [both still speaking] we'll have you arrested when we go to London, for placing in jeopardy the lives of two of the liege subjects of her majesty the queen! Why, you must be one of the Cape-of-Good-Hope Kaffers, or a savage from the backwoods of America. You're see a —," and here they simultaneously started to leave their seats and seek less dan-

gerous quarters.

"Look here, gentlemen," said the Yankee coolly, as they rose to go—"don't be on-easy—there aint no use in mussin'. Keep your seats, I tell you I can shoot clean over you every lick, without a drop touching. Now, you see if I

The Yankee was preparing for another exhibition of his spitting power, but the English-men, not desirous of submitting to another ex-periment, incontinently left. No one went beween the Yankee and the window from that time till the cars reached London.

The Yankee, since, boasts that he spitted his way to the best seat in the train.—N. O. Pic.

Give us this day our Daily Bread.

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Where, in fiction, is there anything more strange than this fact, related in the Musical World, by R. Storrs Willis:

"The following strange incident happened, while I was living in Germany. In the neighborhood of Vienna there dwelt a young peasant woman, who supported herself by the cultivation of vegetables, which she disposed of in the Vienna market. She inhabited a small house, attached to which was her vegetable garden. Young as she was, she had been married; but her husband had died, leaving her a little girl, who was now old enough to run married; but her husband had died, leaving her a little girl, who was now old enough to run about and play with the other children in the neighborhood. The mother still handsome, and desirous of a second marriage. About this time, indeed, there was visiting her a young man for whom she had conceived an affection, a proposition of marriage she was now beginning immediately to await. But no proposition was made. A dark thought finally crossed the young woman's mind that there must be some obstacle in the way, and that this obstacle was, in all probability, the child. An obstacle was, in all probability, the child. An unnatural struggle of jealousy took place, which resulted in a fearful determination—she would make away with the child! Beneath her house was a deep cellar, where she occasionally stored her vegetables. Taking her child by the hand one day, she led it down stairs, and, thrusting it inside, closed the door, locked it, and hurried

up stairs. ous and happy as your former ones have been glorious and honorable." He then raised the glass to his lips, and added, "I cannot come to each of you to take my leave, but shall be sertion of twenty-four hours, the mother went

softly down and listened at the door. The quick ear of the child caught her mother's step, and she implored her to take her out of that dark place—she was so cold and very hungry. No answer was returned, and the mother crept No answer was returned, and the mother crept quietly up stairs. In the evening the lover came again. They took supper together, and passed a social evening. After the second twenty-four hours had passed, the mother made another visit to the child. Again the little sufferer heard her, and with feeble voice begged for a crust of bread—only one crust of bread. This pulled a little upon the mother's heart, but—her purpose was fixed. Another day passed. The mother went quietly down stairs and listened. All was silent. She opened softly the door—the child lay dead. Taking swiftly the body up stairs, she laid it upon a bed; and immediately making a great outcry, called the neighbors together, telling them that her child

had suddenly died. And so it seemed.

The day after there was a funeral. The child was lying in its coffin, bestrewed with flowers, brought by the little playmates in the neigh borhood, who had come to attend the funeral of their lost favorite. The procession moved towards the quiet Gottesacker, (God's acre,) where was to be placed this little seed of an immortal flower. A clergyman was in attendance. The mother stood looking down upon the grave, over which the holy man was repeating, with solemn voice: Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread" in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread"—. A piercing shriek, and the mother fell with a groan to the earth. Looking wildly around her, she then, in gibbering accents, related to the shuddering throng at the grave the very deed her own hands had committed. She lived not long after. Crazed and smitten by the hand of God, she miserably died—a signal instance of retribution, and a startling lesson upon the words, "Give us this day our daily bread."

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ington aqueduct.

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made in answer to the advertisement, or to the persons making them.

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P. S.—On hand constantly paints, oils, glasslamps, girandoles, camphine, and etherial of China and Glass ware, &c., which will be sold: China and Glass ware, the manufacturers' prices.

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WASHINGTON HOUSE, NO. 223, CHESTNUT ST., ABOVE 7TH. Philadelphia. A. F. GLASS, PROPRIETOR.

INAMELLED PARLOR AND CHAMber Grates; circular, square, and oval patterns
of the latest styles and of the highest finish.

The above are just received and for sale by R. HASKINS, Pa. avenue, south side, bet. 9th and 10th sts.

W HALEY'S OMNIBUSES leave Alex-andria at 4, 8½ A. M., 3½ P. M. Leaves WASHINGTON at 6 and 11 A. M., 5½ P. M., Office kept at the United States Hotel and Irving House, Pennsylvania avenue, and at James Ent-wistle's Drug store, Alexandria.

AND SCRIP .-- Purchasers of land scrip I can generally find some for sale on application at my office on 12th street, between E and streets, from 9, A. M., to 12, M.

OSHEN BUTTER, selected from Dela New York and Pennsylvania extra hulled Buck

wheat.
Samples of the Philadelphia Print Butter can
now be seen at the store, and which is now ready SHEKELL & BAILY,
Successors to Jno B. Kibby & Co., No. 5, opposite Centre Market. (m) Dec 15—6tif

NTEW GOODS FOR GENTLEMEN. Our stock at present is full, and of the best and newest styles, both of goods to make to order and of garments already made.

It is our purpose to keep none but the best quality of goods, of the various kinds and most fashionable styles. Garments ready made as good as bespoke work, and at less prices.

Also a constant and good stopply of fine, Shirts, of good cut and make: woollen, cotton and silk Undershirts and Drawers, and many other pretty and good articles for gentlemen's use.

YOUNG & OREM,

Merchant Tailors and Clothiers, Brown's Hot TUST RECEIVED FROM EUROPE

Case of French woven and Coutil Corsets, which we offer as low as corsets of the same quality and fit can be purchased in the United States; also Black Silk Elastic Webbing, suitable for ladies bracelets.

Shoulder Braces of the most approved make; Belte Bediese and Corsets of warry description. Belts, Bodices, and Corsets of every description for sale or made to order at WRIGHT'S Corset Trimming and Fancy Store, Pennsylvania avenue

NOTICE.—We shall apply to the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the United States for Scrip, under the Act of Congress of August 31st, 1852, on a Land Warrant, (No. 123.) issued from the Land Office of Virginia, Feb. 12th, 1783, to John Hardyman, for his services as a Lieutenant of the Virginia State Line, in the War of the Revolution, which said Land Warrant has never been located or otherwise satisfied.

SAMPSON JONES, Jr., and other heirs of JOHN HARDYMAN, dec'd

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FENCING SCHOOL.

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CHEVALIER NIEDZIELSKI, late Major
in the Hungarian army, instructs in all the
branches of the healthy and gallant accomplishment of fencing, as taught in Europe and America,
and now the fashionable accomplishment of an
American gentleman, so conducive to health,
graceful attitude, and defensive acquirement.

Terms: Six lessons, \$3; 12 lessons, \$5, in advance.

Near corner of Thirteenth st, and Penn. av. Dec 15—d3m\*

HOLIDAY PRESENTS IN GREAT abundance and for sale as "cheap as the cheapest" at LAMMOND'S.

THOS. R. SUTER. LUKE LEA. LUTHER R. SMOOT. SUTER. LEA & Co's Stock, Exchange and Banking House, Corner of Penn. avenue and 14th street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

U NION HALL, HOTEL AND REFECtory, C. street, between 6th and 7th streets, ington, E. J. WILLSON, W. H. HEYWARD.

THIRTY YEARS' VIEW, by a Senator of Thirty Years.—The guests of the National Hotel, strangers, and others, who desire to subscribe for the Hon. Thomas H. Benton's great work, Thirty Years' View, or the Working of the American Government for Thirty Years, from 1820 to 1850, are requested to leave their names with Mr. Wells, office No. 6, National hotel, where

can be seen when not engaged in canvasing for The guests of Brown's hotel who desire the work, will leave their names, residences, &c., at the office with Mr. J. T. Stewart.

The guests of the Irving hotel will leave their names and residences with Mr. Jas. Tucker.

The guests of Willard's hotel will leave their names and residences with Mr. John H. Kirk-wood.

The guests of the United States hotel will leave J. S. HOLLINGSHEAD,

NEW JEWELRY STORE.—The sub-scriber would most respectfully inform the citizens of Washington and vicinity, that he has just opened a very choice and select assortment of fine Gold Jewelry, rich Silver Ware, best qual-ity of Gold and Silver Watches, Gold and Silver Spectacles, Gold Chains, Seals, Keys, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Gold Lockets, Pens, Pencils, &c., Silver Thimbles, Gold Lockets, Pens, Pencils, &c., &c. All of which he now offers for sale by the single article as cheap as goods of the same quality can be purchased for in any other city in America; so that purchasers can be supplied here as well and as cheap as in any other city. Please call at the store (formerly occupied by Mr. Steven Eddy) between 4½ and 6th streets, north side Pennsylvania avenue.

H. O. HOOD. P.S. All kinds of Watches carefully and neatly epaired by W. W. HOLLINGSWORTH, Watchmaker. Dec 8-1y

nesses can be inlaid on the inside covers of family biblies, presentation books, or keepsakes, specimens of which can be seen at his bindery, or he can be addressed by letter, which will be promptly attended to.

Dec 13—3meod (m)

Frank's Economical or Students' Lamp, a German article, imported direct from Germany.—The undersigned begs leave to call the attention of members of Congress, and all others in want of a pure, soft, and brilliant light, and withal economical, consuming only one cent's worth of consuming only one cent's worth of a superior Hayana Cigars.

and superior Havana Cigars.

Elegantly fitted up private rooms can be for private parties.

Corner of sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue Dec 15—6d

IZ ID AND WARM GLOVES,—Our assort ment of warm and kid Gloves is now complete. In our assortment may be found "Alexan STEVENS'S Sales Room Brown's Hotel Dec. 9-3td

AND SCRIP AND WARRANTS. The Virginia Scrip and Warrants. Purchasers can be supplied, and orders filled at the lowest market rates.

EVANS AND FANT, Opposite the Attorney General's Office, corner F and 15th street. Dec 9-3td&w

GENERAL AGENCY.—Taylor & Collins of will prosecute claims of every description against the government, before the departments or Congress. Procure pensions, bounty lands extra pay, and arrearages of pay. They will attend to the buying and selling of real estate, the renting of houses, and a general collecting busiress.

They will also furnish parties at a distance with

f government. Charges will be moderate. Charges will be moderate.

REFERENCES:
Hon. Jefferson Davis, Secretary of War.
Hon. James C. Dobbin, Secretary of the Navy.
Nicholas Callan, President Board Common

General John M. McCalla, Attorney at Law. James H. Caustin. W. C. Riddell, State Department. Office on F street, immediately opposite W ter's Building, Washington, D. C. Sep 28—620d&w.

PECIAL CARD.—The subscriber respect fully informs the public that he has just re-turned from the north with a most beautiful and select variety of Fancy Goods for the approaching eason, consisting in part of— Work Boxes, work Baskets, ladies' Companion

Travelling Cases, pearl, shell, and other kind of Port Monnaies, card Cases, cigar Cases, Watchstands. Perfume Bottles, flower and mantle Vases. Cornelian, bone, and jet Bracelets, jet Pins, hair Pins.
Pen and pocket Knives, hair, nail, tooth, clothes, and bathing Brushes.
Toilet, fine, neck, and side Combs.
Indelible Inks, cont Links.
Chessmen, Backgammon Boards, Dice, chil-

dren's Games. Wax Tapers, bronze Figures, papier mache French Engravings, raised Prints, Pomatum. Hair Oil, Tricopherous, German Cologne, hair Dye.

Extracts for Handkerchief, toilet Soap.

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Powder. Portfolios, Opera Glasses, Statuary, Baskets of every description. Letter, cap, drawing, tissue, and wrapping Paper.
Pens, Inks, Pencils, playing and visiting Cards
Blank Books, Envelopes, writing Desks.
Guitars, Violins, Flutes, Accordeons, Tambo

Banjos, Italian Strings, Pegs, Bridges, Tuning Forks, Rosin, Bows, &c. Forks, Rosin, Bows, &c.

New Music received semi-weekly.

We have always on hand and constantly ordering Pianos from the celebrated establishment of Knabe, Gaehle & Co., and Firth, Pond & Co., which we guaranty to sell at manufacturers' prices. To all of which we invite the attention of our friends and the public, promising such inducements as will ensure their patronage.

JOHN F. ELLIS,

Penn. av., between 9th and 10th streets.

Dec 14—3t (m)

ADIES' WORK-BOXES, Dressing Cases, Leather Reticules, &c., for sale at LAMMOND'S, Seventh street, second door below E.

# WASHINGTON SENTINEL

TERMS OF ADVERTISING. Business cards, not exceeding six lines, for not less than six months, inserted at half price.

Yearly advertisements subject to special ar Long advertisements at reduced rates.
Religious, Literary, and Charitable notices serted gratuitously.

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RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE
Goods for Holiday Presents, has been deposited
with his agent, LAMMOND, 7th street, 2d door
below E, where all are invited to call.

The collection is rich, rare, beautiful, and cheap.
(m)

Nov. 15—3t.

(m) Nov. 10—3t.

FOR SALE.—Will be sold, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 27th December, 1853, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all the real and personal estate of the Washington Stone Dressing Company. All to take place on the premises.

Terms on the day of sale, as follows: Twenty per cent. on the day of sale; twenty per cent. when the deed is delivered; balance six and twelve months, with interest at six per cent., secured by mortgage on the premises.

Dec. 9—eod3w

EDWARD C. DYER. Importer of Havana Cigars and Dealer in Wines and Liquors.

Penn. avenue, between 12th and 13th streets.

I have constantly on hand French, German, and Native Sparkling and Still Wines of choicest brands, Brandies, Gins, Scotch, Irish, and other Whiskeys, London and Scotch Ales and Brown Stout, Cordial, and all other goods usually found in a first-class Wine Store. CIGARS-CIGARS-CIGARS.

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Having an experienced agent in Havana, whose judgment may be implicitly relied on, I shall hereafter be in the monthly recept of 50,000 of the choicest brands of Cigars manufactured on the Island of Cuba, to samples of which I now invite the attention of connoisseurs.

Now in store, 70,000 Washington Club and El Siglo brands, received by the schooners Japonica and Elizabeth Jane, of Philadelphia, Ohl and Son owners.

Persons wishing to procure any particular brand can do so on application to me, as I have shipments every two weeks.

EDWARD C. DYER.

Dec. 11—d10t (m)

Dec. 11-d10t BRANDIES, WINES, &c.—In Store, qual-ities as represented, subject to inspection : BRANDIES.

Bouvet Jne: Cognac, vintage 1846, pale. Borchard do. do. 1843, dark. Otard, Dupuy & Co., Cognac, vintage 1842, dark. Do. do. do. do. 1842, pale. Ph. Goddard, old, pale and colored. Sazarac, De Forge & F., in quarter casks, gold. Rasteau, Charruyer, pale. Chateau Bernard Cognac, choice, old vintage Pinet, Castillion & Co., Cognac, choice, old

vintage, 1532, dark.
London Dock, of several brands, imported from
the London Docks. the London Docks.

Pinet, Castillion, & Co., very choice Champagne, vintage of 1825, "known to be," in quarter casks, and the same in bottles, believed to be the best brandy in the District.

WINES.

Old South Side Madeiras, in wood and bottles. Old Bual do. very fine, in bottles. Old London Particular Madeira, in wood and

bottles. Woodhouse fine Sicily Madeirs, in quarte

'Regent's' and "Durand's Old Fort.

1 quarter cask Offley's do.

1 do. do. Queen's Port.

P. Harmony's Pale Sherry.

Duff Gordon Brown do.

Regent's Golden Sherry, of a rich and delicate flavor, pronounced by judges a most superior wine.

CHAMPAGNE. P.A. Mumm's Sillery.
Heidsick & Co's Champagne, in quarts and pints, imported by Renauld, Francois.
Heidsick & Co., Ensler's & Co.

and quarts.

Mot & Chandon's Owl de Perdrix, in pints and quarts, the finest Champagne in

for itself.

Scotch and Irish Whiskeys, pure.
Old Jamaica and St. Croix Rum.
Together with a full assortment of Wines and Liquors at low prices.
SHEKELL & BAILEY,

(Successors to J. B. Kibbey & Co.) No. 5, opposite Centre Market. HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR FURNI-TURE!—If not, call and examine our new and splendid stock of Rosewood, Mahogany, and Walnut FURNITURE. Walnut FURNITURE.

Our stock is all new and well made, comprising nearly every article of cabinet furniture now in use, and many articles that are not to be found in

other furniture stores; a few of which we enu erate: Large and splendid walnut and muhogany Extension Tables Rosewood, mahogany, and walnut Bookcases
Do do do marble-ton

Cottage Reception Chairs, covered with lasting Rosewood, mahogany, and walnut Teapoys and Sofa Tables

Marbie-slaps, Out Discover,
Mirrors
Mahogany and Walnut Looking-glass Frames
and Looking-glass Plates
Curled-hair, shuck, palm-leaf, and Excelsion

spring mattress, which has given satisfaction to all who have used it. In nearly every instance where we have sold them they have returned with orders for more of the spring-bed bottoms. We believe their value to be inestimable.

Of furniture for common use we have too great

Of furniture for common use we an assortment to enumerate.

WIGHT & CROSBY,

Louisiana avenue, opposite the Bank of Washington, near the corner of 7th street.

Notice the bedstead sign.

(m) Nov 22—1m

NEW GOODS—JUST RECEIVED. THE LADIES OF WASHINGTON and its vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine a splendid assortment of Dry Goods, which will be sold very low for cash. The following is a part of the stock now on hand:

Cambric Edgings; Swiss, do.; Cambric bands; do. Sleeves; Embroidered and plain, do.; lace embroidered handkerchiefs; collars, from 64 cents o \$2.50; lace falls, silk mitts, kid gloves, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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E. S. TATE. Pennsylvania avenue, four doors from Center

M sons in want of Musical Instruments will do well to call and examine our very select as-sortment of Guitars, Violins, Flutes, Acordeons, Banjos and Tambourines.

Also, Tuning Forks, Pegs, Bows, Rosin, Italian Strings, &c., all of which we will sell at remarkably low prices.

Pa. av., between 9th and 10th streets.

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casks.
"Regent's" and "Durand's" Old Port.

1 quarter cask Offley's Pale Sherry, a very fine wine.
Dry and Sweet Malaga and Cette Madeiras.

Mot & Chandon's very superior Champagne, imported by Adolphus Cich's. Mot and Chandon's Grand Vin-Anglais, in pints

ington.
J. A. J. Nolet's Imperial Scheidam Gin.
Imperial, Pear, and Clover Leaf.
Old Rye Whisky, distilled 1832.
Choice Old Rye Whisky, a pure article, distilled in 1829, now twenty-four years old; speaks

Centre Tables
Rosewood, mahogany, and walnut Etagere

Walnut and mahogany Comodes
Do do Trays and Stands Do do and iron Hatracks
Iron Bedsteads, Cribs, and Umbrella Stands
Marble-slabs, Gilt Brackets, and Gilt frame

mattresses.

We have also the newly invented elastic spiral

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